

**SAFETY DATA SHEET**

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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION**Product identifier**

Trade name : Natrosol™ 250 HHX PHARM
Hydroxyethylcellulose
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various countries

Substance name HYDROXYETHYLCELLULOSE

Substance No.

EC-No. 618-387-5

CAS-No. 9004-62-0

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

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Regulatory Information Number

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Product Information

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SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**GHS Classification**

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

GHS label elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture.

Other hazards which do not result in classification

No information available.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Substance

Chemical nature : organic



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Hazardous components

No hazardous ingredients

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice	: No hazards which require special first aid measures.
If inhaled	: If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If unconscious, place in recovery position and seek medical advice. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
In case of skin contact	: First aid is not normally required. However, it is recommended that exposed areas be cleaned by washing with soap and water.
In case of eye contact	: Remove contact lenses. Protect unharmed eye.
If swallowed	: Do not give milk or alcoholic beverages. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed	: The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see Section 2.2) and/or Section 11.
Notes to physician	: No hazards which require special first aid measures.

SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media	: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment. Water spray Foam
Hazardous combustion products	: Carbon dioxide (CO ₂) Carbon monoxide Oxides of phosphorus Sodium oxides
Specific extinguishing methods	: Standard procedure for chemical fires.



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Product is compatible with standard fire-fighting agents.

Special protective equipment : In the event of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
 for firefighters

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures : Avoid dust formation.
 Avoid breathing dust.
 Material can create slippery conditions.
 Persons not wearing protective equipment should be excluded from area of spill until clean-up has been completed.
 Comply with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations.

Environmental precautions : Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up : Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust.
 Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on protection against fire and explosion : Take measures to prevent the build up of electrostatic charge.
 Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.

Advice on safe handling : Avoid dust formation.
 Ensure all equipment is electrically grounded and bonded before beginning transfer operations.
 The material can accumulate static charge and can therefore cause electrical ignition of flammable atmospheres.
 Smoking, eating and drinking should be prohibited in the application area.
 For personal protection see section 8.
 Maintain good housekeeping. Do not permit dust layers to accumulate, for example, on floors, ledges, and equipment, in order to avoid any potential for dust explosion hazards.

Materials to avoid : No materials to be especially mentioned.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Components with workplace control parameters

Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

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Engineering measures

: Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed.
General room ventilation should be adequate for normal conditions of use. However, if unusual operating conditions exist, provide sufficient mechanical (general and/or local exhaust) ventilation to maintain exposure below exposure guidelines (if applicable) or below levels that cause known, suspected or apparent adverse effects.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : In the case of vapour formation use a respirator with an approved filter within the capabilities of the respirator/filter combination.
Where concentrations are above recommended limits or are unknown, or a cartridge type respirator is not adequate, wear a positive-pressure supplied-air respirator.

Hand protection

Material : butyl-rubber
Break through time : 480 min
Glove thickness : > 0.5 mm

Remarks : The exact break through time can be obtained from the protective glove producer and this has to be observed. Gloves should be discarded and replaced if there is any indication of degradation or chemical breakthrough.

Eye protection : Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Wear as appropriate:
Safety shoes

Hygiene measures : Avoid breathing dust.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state : solid
Colour : white
Odour : odourless
Odour Threshold : No data available
pH : 6 - 8.5

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Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Boiling point/boiling range : No data available

Flash point : Not applicable

Evaporation rate : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : No data available

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapour pressure : No data available

Relative vapour density : No data available

Relative density : No data available

Density : No data available

Solubility(ies)

Water solubility : soluble

Solubility in other solvents : No data available

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water : No data available

Thermal decomposition : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : 3,400 - 5,500 mPa.s

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Oxidizing properties : No data available

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : No decomposition if stored and applied as directed.

Chemical stability : Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of hazardous : Product will not undergo hazardous polymerization.



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reactions

Conditions to avoid : Keep away from heat, flame, sparks and other ignition sources.

UV light.
 Exposure to sunlight.
 Exposure to moisture

Incompatible materials : Acids
 Bases
 Oxidizing agents
 strong bases

Hazardous decomposition products : Carbon monoxide
 Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
 Oxides of phosphorus
 Sodium oxides

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Product:

Remarks: Unlikely to cause eye irritation or injury., Product dust may be irritating to eyes, skin and respiratory system.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation

Skin sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Respiratory sensitisation: Not classified based on available information.

Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

STOT - single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

STOT - repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Aspiration toxicity

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Further information

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Product:

Remarks: No data available

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**Ecotoxicity**

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available

Product:

Additional ecological : No data available
information

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**Disposal methods**

Contaminated packaging : Empty remaining contents.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**International transport regulations****REGULATION**

ID NUMBER	PROPER SHIPPING NAME	*HAZARD CLASS	SUBSIDIARY HAZARDS	PACKING GROUP	MARINE POLLUTANT / LTD. QTY.

INTERNATIONAL MARITIME DANGEROUS GOODS

Not dangerous goods

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION - CARGO

Not dangerous goods

INTERNATIONAL AIR TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION - PASSENGER

Not dangerous goods

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UN_DG

Not dangerous goods

***ORM = ORM-D, CBL = COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID**

Marine pollutant

no

Dangerous goods descriptions (if indicated above) may not reflect quantity, end-use or region-specific exceptions that can be applied. Consult shipping documents for descriptions that are specific to the shipment.

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****The components of this product are reported in the following inventories:**

DSL : All components of this product are on the Canadian DSL

AICS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

ENCS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

KECI : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

PICCS : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

IECSC : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TCSI : On the inventory, or in compliance with the inventory

TSCA : On TSCA Inventory

Inventories

AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH (European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TCSI (Taiwan), TSCA (USA)
- On or in compliance with the active portion of the TSCA inventory

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION**Further information**

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Full text of H-Statements

Other information : The information accumulated herein is believed to be accurate but is not warranted to be whether originating with the company or not. Recipients are advised to confirm in advance of need that the information is current, applicable, and suitable to their circumstances. This SDS has been prepared by Ashland's Environmental Health and Safety Department (1-800-325-3751).

Sources of key data used to compile the Safety Data Sheet

Ashland internal data including own and sponsored test reports

The UNECE administers regional agreements implementing harmonised classification for labelling (GHS) and transport.

List of abbreviations and acronyms that could be, but not necessarily are, used in this safety data sheet :

ACGIH : American Conference of Industrial Hygienists

BEI : Biological Exposure Index

CAS : Chemical Abstracts Service (Division of the American Chemical Society).

CMR : Carcinogenic, Mutagenic or Toxic for Reproduction

FG : Food grade

GHS : Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals.

H-statement : Hazard Statement

IATA : International Air Transport Association.

IATA-DGR : Dangerous Goods Regulation by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA).

ICAO : International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI (ICAO) : Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization"

IMDG : International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

ISO : International Organization for Standardization

logPow : octanol-water partition coefficient


LCxx : Lethal Concentration, for xx percent of test population

LDxx : Lethal Dose, for xx percent of test population.

ICxx : Inhibitory Concentration for xx of a substance

Ecxx : Effective Concentration of xx

N.O.S.: Not Otherwise Specified

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OECD : Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development

OEL : Occupational Exposure Limit

P-Statement : Precautionary Statement

PBT : Persistent , Bioaccumulative and Toxic

PPE : Personal Protective Equipment

STEL : Short-term exposure limit

STOT : Specific Target Organ Toxicity

TLV : Threshold Limit Value

On TSCA Inventory : On or in compliance with the active portion of the TSCA inventory

TWA : Time-weighted average

vPvB : Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

WEL : Workplace Exposure Level